

Main actions provided

June has been about trying to grass cut as much as possible. The weather has definitely been in the grass's favour (growth), but we've been trying to stay on top of it as best we can whilst also keeping an eye on any other jobs as they arise.

Comments and observations

Fly tipping still continues to be an issue, especially around the vicinity of Newton and Faraday where we found a couple rubble sacks full of asbestos which we'll need to call a specialist company in to get disposed of properly. Another issue that has arisen with regard to grass cutting, is road work signs that have been left behind on the verges after the work has been completed. It's unfortunately starting to look a little untidy so we were wondering if there was anything we could do with the signs that have been left behind and to prevent it from happening in the future?

Suggestions for future actions, improvements or additional activities planned

We unfortunately haven't had a chance to carry out any hedge cutting due to being so busy with the grass. But, our tractor team are now out with the hedge cutter and we will ask them to focus on any areas that urgently need any attention.

Photographic Impact Evidence (a selection of photos of work undertaken to demonstrate impact)



Before and after at the Terrace after using the Billy Goat.





Before and after along the pathway outside Welland.



We've moved a bin from James Watt Way where it clearly wasn't being used properly.



We've moved it to the pathway outside Welland and it seems to be working.



Pictures of the asbestos which was fly tipped.





Before and after of graffiti sign clearing.



A silver birch tree that has unfortunately died in the Terrace.



Using the Billy Goat in the Terrace.

Details of CORE and ENHANCED Service levels (contract extract)

Current Baseline Service	Proposed	Enhanced element (* estimated)
Monthly litter pick (12 pa)	Weekly litter pick (52 pa)	X40 litter picks + identify hotspots and trial extra bins
Weekly litter bin empty (52 pa)	Weekly litter bin empty (52 pa)	-
Monthly road sweep (12 pa)	Monthly road sweep (12 pa)	-
-	Remove fallen leaves and detritus from footpaths and common areas (4 pa)	X4 leaf and detritus removals
-	Washing and cleaning street furniture and signs to include street name signs, gateway / entrance signs, wayfaring signs and highways signs (2pa)	X2 washes
-	Deep cleaning/jet washing common areas, bus stops and paved areas (as required)	As required
Grass cutting (5 pa)	Grass cutting (12 pa)	* X7 grass cuts – (weather/ground conditions dependant)
Bunded/bank grass cutting (4 pa)	Bunded/bank grass cutting (10 pa)	X6 bunded/bank cuts
Hedgecutting (1-2 pa)	As required (2-3 pa)	* 1-2 Hedge cuts
Shrub maintenance (2-3 pa)	As required (4-5 pa)	* 1-2 shrub maintenance
Weedspraying (2 pa) funded by WSCC	Weed spraying (4 pa) Removal of dead standing weeds (4pa) Weed ripper as required	X2 weed sprays X4 dead weed removals Weed ripper as required On footpaths and common areas
See note 1	Box mow and maintain Gateway 3 Roundabout (10 pa)	X10 Box mow and maintain Gateway 3 Roundabout
-	Crawters Brook, The Terrace enhanced Maintenance (as Annex C)	Crawters Brook, The Terrace enhanced Maintenance (as Annex C)
-	Weekly inspection and rectification/reporting of faults found.	X52 inspections - reports/rectification of faults found
-	Reactive/response service through a single point of contact as required	Reactive/response service as required
-	Provide monthly information... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • feedback on what has been done and what is planned • Available performance data - quantities such as volumes, lengths, waste weights etc (tba) • photographic evidence of before and after improvements, • suggestions for further/future enhancements • Attend meetings as required 	X12 reports (monthly)

Notes: (1) There is a requirement for Gateway 3 and Crawter's Brook People's Park to be maintained to a basic level as described in the Annexes.